



**NORTH CAROLINA GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
AMENDMENT**

Bill \_\_\_\_\_

AMENDMENT NO. \_\_\_\_\_  
(to be filled in by  
Principal Clerk)

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Date \_\_\_\_\_, 2007

Comm. Sub. [NO]  
Amends Title [NO]

Representative Insko

1 moves to amend the draft report on page 41, line 7, by inserting the following after the  
2 period:

3 "LMEs, County Public Health departments and County Sheriffs shall work together to  
4 develop all of the following:

5 (1) A standardized evidence-based screening instrument to be used when  
6 offenders are booked.

7 (2) A designated LME employee who is responsible for screening the daily jail  
8 booking log for known mental health consumers.

9 (3) Protocols for effective communication between the LME and the jail staff  
10 including collaborative development of medication management protocols between the  
11 jail staff and the mental health providers.

12 (4) Training to help detention officers recognize signals of mental illness.

13 There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of Health and  
14 Human Services (DHHS), Division of Mental Health, Developmental Disabilities and  
15 Substance Abuse Services (DMH), the sum of one million dollars (\$1,000,000) for the  
16 2007-2008 fiscal year and the sum of one million (\$1,000,000) for the 2008-2009 fiscal  
17 year. Funds appropriated in this Section shall be allocated to local management entities  
18 (LMEs) such that each LME receives a percentage of the total allocation that is equal to  
19 that local management entity's percentage of the State's total population that is below  
20 the federal poverty level. LMEs shall use the funds to provide the assistance required  
21 under this Section."



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Amendment Sponsor

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Committee Chair if Senate Committee Amendment

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